

# Fiscal Note 2009 Biennium

Bill #	HB0670				Title:	Retirement systems reports on actuarial costs and other items		
Primary Sponsor: Himmelberger, Dennis				[	Status:	As Intro	duced	
☐ Significant Local Gov Impact [			Needs to be included in HB 2			Technical Concerns		
☐ Included in the Executive Budget			Significant Long-Ter		rm Impacts		Dedicated Revenue Form Attached	

	FISCAL S	UMMARY			
	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011	
	<b>Difference</b>	<b>Difference</b>	<b>Difference</b>	<b>Difference</b>	
<b>Expenditures:</b>					
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Other - Pension Fund	\$0	\$9,389	\$0	\$10,185	
Revenue:					
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Other - Pension Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Net Impact-General Fund Balance:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	

### **Description of fiscal impact:**

HB 670 would require additional analysis of all changes in benefits or membership. This analysis will be most pronounced following each legislative session, adding approximately 10% to the cost of the actuarial valuations completed following each legislative session. No additional cost is anticipated in the interim between sessions.

#### FISCAL ANALYSIS

#### **Assumptions:**

Tearcher Retirement System (TRS)

- 1. The actuarial analysis required to determine the cost of any changes in membership or plan benefits will be conducted in conjunction with the normal actuarial valuations of the Teachers Retirement System (TRS).
- 2. The actuarial analysis required under this legislation will be most pronounced in the valuations following each legislative session, or special session, and any additional cost will be subject to the number of bills

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- adopted. If a relatively few number of bills are passed by the legislature, the cost of completing the valuation is not expected to increase more than 10%.
- 3. The cost of the TRS actuarial valuation for FY 2006 was \$34,500, with the cost of future valuations assumed to increases 3.0% per year.

## Montana Public Employees Retirement Administration (MPERA)

- 4. The actuarial analysis required to determine the cost of ANY changes in membership or plan benefits will be conducted in conjunction with the normal actuarial valuations of the System.
- 5. The actuarial analysis required would happen in conjunction with the normal valuation, resulting in a 10% increased cost of completing actuarial valuations.
- 6. The cost of the MPERA actuarial valuations for FY 2006 was \$54,000. This was the cost for the actuary to perform valuations on eight separate systems.
- 7. The cost of future valuations assumed to increases 3.0% per year.

**FY 2006** 

	Base	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011			
TRS	\$34,500	\$0	\$3,660	\$0	\$3,883			
MPEF	RA \$54,000	\$0	\$5,729	\$0	\$6,302			
Tota	\$88,500	\$0	\$9,389	\$0	\$10,185			
	FY 2008 Difference		FY 2009 Difference		FY 2010 Difference		FY 2011 <u>Difference</u>	
Fiscal Impact:		_		-				
Expenditures:								
Operating Expenses		\$0	\$9,3	389		\$0\$	10,18	
TOTAL Expenditures		\$0	\$9,3	389		\$0 \$	510,18	
Funding of Expenditures:								
General Fund (01)		\$0		\$0		\$0	\$(	
Other - Pension Fund (09)		\$0	\$9,3	389		\$0\$	510,18	

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Revenues:				
General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other - Pension Fund (09)	\$0	\$0	\$0_	\$0_
<b>TOTAL Revenues</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

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**Net Impact to Fund Balance (Revenue minus Funding of Expenditures):** General Fund (01) \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 Other - Pension Fund (09) \$0 (\$9,389)\$0 (\$10,185)

Sponsor's Initials	Date	Budget Director's Initials	Date	

**TOTAL Funding of Exp.**